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SUBJ: BAKER-NUNN CAMERA STATION

REF: STATE 076969

1. EMBOFF INFORMED WILSON, DEFENCE POLICY BRANCH, DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, OF USG RESPONSE REGARDING EMPLOYMENT OF AUSTRALIAN AND U.S. CIVILIAN CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL CONTAINED REFTEL. ANSWER WAS PROVIDED ON INFORMAL BASIS SINCE REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF THIS SUBJECT WAS ALSO PROVIDED INFORMALLY BY FIRST ASST SECRETARY BLAKENEY SOME TIME AGO. BLAKENEY, INCIDENTALLY, HAS NOW DEPARTED AND HAS BEEN REPLACED BY FORMER AUSTRALIAN AMBASSADOR TO KENYA, KENNETH ROGERS.

2. WILSON SEEMS SATISFIED WITH RESPONSE AND NOTED THAT AUSTRALIAN CONTRACT EMPLOYEES WOULD STILL BE IN MAJORITY IN 26-MAN OPERATION. EMBOFF DID NOT GO INTO OTHER ASPECTS OF OPERATION SINCE CONSIDERATION OF AGREEMENT FOR THIS FACILITY MUST NOW BE DELAYED UNTIL AFTER AUSTRALIAN ELECTIONS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 18. HARROP

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